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10/616,624	07/10/2003	Richard D. Morgan	NEB-207-US	3348

TITLE OF INVENTION: RECOMBINANT TYPE II RESTRICTION ENDONUCLEASES, MMEI AND RELATED ENDONUCLEASES AND METHODS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

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Application No.: 10/616,624

Group No.: 1652

Filed: July 10, 2003

Examiner: Patterson

For: Recombinant Type II Restriction Endonucleases, MmeI and Related Endonucleases and Methods for Producing the Same



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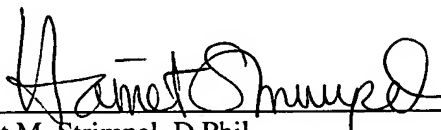
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